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The Removable Reger it. Kyes Reputy Secretary of Defense The Perhages Veckington 25, D.C.

Dear Augur:

I have etailed your letter of 4 lossman 1953 with great interest. I share your ecaniction that good intalligence is the very furnistics of an effective military program, and it is with this realisation that the Control Entelligence Agency is mining every effect to meet the information made of the military departments and other agencies of our deverments concerned with astional pacurity. He wilcome your comments and suggestions.

As to the specific points redect in your letter, I have the following communics

(a) Some internal discontantion has been unde by CIA field agencies to local communders for many years. It has been a long-standing policy of this Agency to make smallable to appropriate United States authorities eversees the information receive of our covert collection activities which are practicable. Since UNCINCEUR seems to have a particular problem in this papers. I would accommand

commine it further with you here.

(b) I am not clear as to what is included in the word "penetration" when you point out that "The military in Garmary state that penetration of the Seviet orbit to meridien 30 east should be effected...." It is the prime intelligence problem of this Government to secure information on the Seviet Union. The intelligence community, including CIA, has made this its first target for some time past. At the same time, it must be recognized that this is the most difficult task which has ever confronted an intelligence

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is now under discussion between CIA and the Service Intelligence Agencies with a view to the solution of coordinating questions which have arises as to the proper method of coordinating these activities. With regard to the greation of training for military personnel in covert activities, we had understood that CIC had a training program of some dimensions but we would be glad to country ways and many whorety we could be of any buly in this respect.

I should be glad to go into any of these meters with you in forther detail. Hersetile, I velocus your suggestion that our appropriate staff efficers should meet as some as possible to go over those metters of common improve and I have asked my deputy, Communication with General Relate to represent this Assert is a discussion with General Problem at a time and place mutually agreeable—the second time better.

Sinowely yours,

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